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Sir:

In response to the Decision on Appeal dated October 29, 2008, please enter the following amendments in the above-referenced patent application (the "Patent Application"), and further please consider the following remarks establishing the patentability of the amended claims of the Patent Application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.